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Michael Richter

Cc: (b)(3) 10.U.S.C 424;(b)(6) Subject:

RE: 9 June 2014 Status Update/Case #14-030

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From: Michael Richter (b)(6)

Sent: Sunday, June 22, 2014 5:12 PM

To: (b)(3):10 USC 424;(b)(6)

Subject: Re: 9 June 2014 Status Update/Case #14-030

(b)(3) 10.U.S.C 424;(b)(6)

I never received any update even though you suggested I would get one "early" in the week of June 9. I submitted my appeal letter on March 17; it's been over 90 days. This is starting to get a bit unreasonable. I would appreciate an official response to my appeal.

Thanks, Mike

On Mon, Jun 9, 2014 at 3:57 PM, Michael Richter (b)(6)

wrote:

I appreciate the information and look forward to an official response. Thanks, Mike

On Mon, Jun 9, 2014 at 1:15 PM, (b)(3) 10.U.S.C 424;(b)(6)

wrote:

Mike,

I've not forgotten your request for a status update and was hoping to have something significant to report. I am waiting for a response to the query submitted to DOPSR. We hope to gain new information early this week.

The process in handling your request for appeal has been a complicated one due to the Department's position on handling Unauthorized Disclosures. Whether or not already posted on public websites or otherwise in the public domain, such material must be treated as classified until it is declassified by the appropriate government authority.

I can neither confirm nor deny the validity and status of the information redacted from your original paper, but offer the aforementioned detail as relevant to your understanding.

Regards,

(b)(3) 10.U.S.C 424;(b)(6)

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